26. श्री मोती राम 27. श्री भीमी राम	3,070.50 रुपए
28. श्रीमती डोली 29. श्रीमती भीकमी	723.60 रुपए
30. श्रीमती पुष्पा देवी 31. श्री हरदास्सी	511.80 रुपए
32. श्री नथु 33. श्री ललू	4,606.20 रुपए
34. श्री रूल्डू 35. श्री राम दास	20,770 रुपए
36. श्री उत्तम चन्द	6,281.25 रुपए
37. श्री खेम राम 38. श्री तेती सिंह	6.281.25 रुपए
39. श्रीमती रामी	3,238.33 रुपए
40. श्रीमती चिकमी	3,238.33 रुपए
41. श्रीमती अल्मी	3,238.33 रुपए

Main Battle Tank Project

1017. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE:
SHRI RAJUBHAI A. PARMAR:
SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the present stage of development of the Main Battle Tank Project;

(b) wheher the same has been successfully test fired; and

(c) if not, what shortcomings have come in its way?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHARAD PAWAR): (a) Twelve prototypes including two fully integrated prototypes have been fabricated which have undergone R&D-cum-user trials for automotive and weapon systems. Two pre-production series tanks have been manufactured by Heavy Vehicle Factory (HVF). Four more pre-production series tanks, two each by BEML and BHEL, are under manufacture and are likely to be ready by December,

(b) and (c) The two pre-production series tanks manufactured by HVF have been subjected to extensive user assisted technical trials at Balasore and Suratgarh. The results obtained were encouraging. However, certain short-comings were noticed which have since been rectified.

CAG report on Army Recruitment

1018. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state the follow up action taken by Government on

the report of CAG on Defence services recruitment and training regarding irregular and fraudulent recruitment and to identify the persons responsible for the malpractices and also to streamline the procedure to check it?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHARAD PAWAR): CAG's Report was presented in the Parliament on 12.5.1992. Further action on the various issues indicated therein has already been initiated.

Requests for installation of Statue of Late Shyam Behari Lal in Danapur Cantonment Board

1019. SHRI MOHAMMED AFZAL alias MEEM AFZAL: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that several public petitions dated 13th May, 1990, 4th May, 1990, 22nd December, 1990 and 2nd August 1991 were sent to his Ministry for permission to instal the statue of late Shyam Behari Lal, Ex-Vice-President of Danapur Cantonment Board at public cost;

(b) if so, what are the reasons for delay in according permission for the same; and

(c) what steps are being taken to instal the said statue?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHARAD PAWAR): (a) to (c) Representations requesting for the installation of a statue of Late Shri Shyam Bihari Lal, Ex-Vice President of Danapur Cantonment Board, have been received. The Cantonment Board, Danapur, has not approved the proposal on the grounds of scarcity of land and problems of maintenance.

As a mark of respect to Late Shri Shyam Bihari Lal, it has been decided by the Cantonment Board to place in the Board Room of the Cantonment Board a portrait of Late Shri Shyam Bihari Lal.

Export of Advanced Light Helicopters

1020. DR. SANJAYA SINH: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Advanced Light Helicopter manufactured by the H. A. L. is proposed to be exported;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHARAD PAWAR): (a) and (b) While there is potential for the export of the Advance Light Helicopter, firm indications in this regard cannot be furnished since the project is still at the design and development stage.

अनिवार्य सैनिक शिक्षा

1021. **श्री राम सिंह राठवा** : क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार भारत में सैनिक शिक्षा को अनिवार्य बनाने पर विचार कर रही है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या है ; और

(ग) यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं ?

रक्षा मंत्री (श्री शरद पवार) : (क) जी, नहीं ।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

(ग) अनिवार्य सैन्य प्रशिक्षण की शुरुआत हमारे देश की लोकतांत्रिक नीति के अनुरूप नहीं होगी । इसके अतिरिक्त इससे उतना फायदा नहीं होगा जितना अधिक इस पर व्यय हो जाएगा ।

रक्षा मंत्री की विदेश यात्राएं

1022. **श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय** : क्या **रक्षा मंत्री** यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) उन्होंने पिछले कुछ महीनों के के दौरान किन-किन देशों की यात्रा की